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### AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.115

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002, Applicant requests reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendment and remarks.

#### IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the attached description of the drawings (attached as Appendix A) for the originally filed description in paragraph 14 of the specification.

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